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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of this application on the merits, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE DRAWINGS

Applicant proposes to amend the drawing as indicated in the Proposed Changes to the Drawings, submitted herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 8, lines 9-32, replaces these lines with:

-- Figure 4A is an alternative circuit diagram for a function performed involving a hybrid network;

Figure 5 is a circuit diagram showing three-level output data pulse generation for preferred three-level signalling;